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TO: Nebraska Medicaid Swing Bed Providers

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RE: 2015 Medicaid Swing Bed Per Diem Rate

## Please Share This Information with your Billing and Administrative Staff

Effective January 1, 2015, the Medicaid per diem rate for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) care in hospital swing beds was increased to \$168.51. This is the rate paid for Medicaid swing bed clients whose care is not covered by Medicare. Claims for services on or after January 1, 2015, which were paid at the 2014 rate, will be automatically adjusted to the correct rate.

**NOTE**: Nebraska Medicaid policy and claim completion instructions are available on the Department of Health and Human Services website at: http://dhhs.ne.gov/Pages/reg\_medregs.aspx

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